

Fig. 1



OBTAIN AND, IF DESIRED, DISTRIBUTE DATABASE OF INFORMATION ON TOOTH SHADES ASSOCIATED WITH DIFFERENT CATEGORIES OF TOOTH REGIONS BASED ON TOOTH SHADE SPECIMENS

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STORE DATABASE HAVING INFORMATION (E.G. DISCRETE NUMERIC VALUES) ON TOOTH SHADES ASSOCIATED WITH DIFFERENT CATEGORIES OF TOOTH REGIONS (E.G. CERVICAL, CENTRAL, AND INCISAL)

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APPLY THE INFORMATION FOR DATA
GATHERED FOR A PATIENT'S TOOTH
TO THE DATABASE TO
IDENTIFY SHADE INFORMATION
BY REGION

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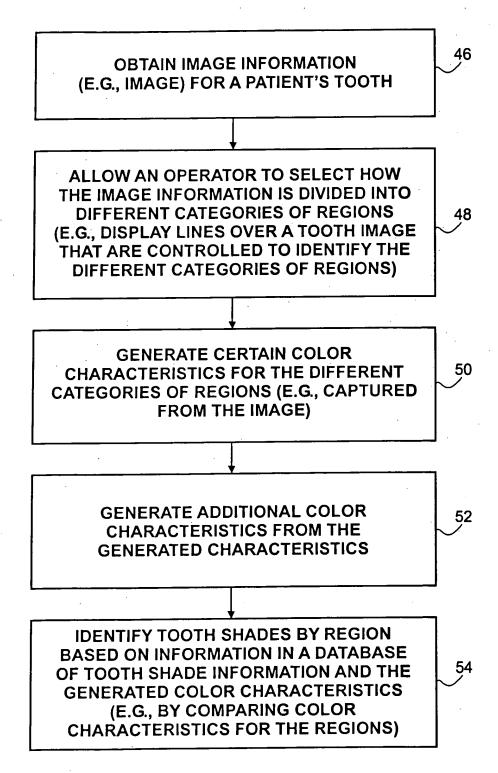


Fig. 4



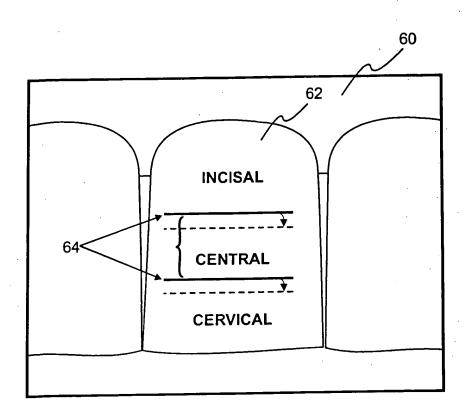


Fig. 5



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_	R	В	G	L*	a*	b*
INCISAL	3.5	1.0	5.0	3.2	2.2	5.5
CENTRAL	2.2	1.5	5.5	1.3	0.7	5.7
CERVICAL	4.2	2.0	2.2	0.1	1.3	5.0

	R	В	G	L*	a*	b*	, ⁷²
SHADE 1	R,	В,	G,	L*,	a* ₁	b*,	
SHADE 2	R ₂	B ₂	G,	L*,	a*,	b* ₂	
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Fig. 6